

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicants would like to thank the Examiner for the careful consideration given the present application. The application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office Action and the personal interview conducted on October 5, 2006, and amended as necessary to more clearly and particularly describe and claim the subject matter which Applicants regard as the invention.

Claims 1-15 and 17-26 remain in this application. Claim 16 has been previously canceled.

The Examiner has indicated that claims 17-26 are allowed.

Claims 1-15 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §10 as being directed to non-statutory subject matter. Claims 1 and 14 have been amended as discussed at the personal interview to include an outputting step, making the rejections moot.

In consideration of the foregoing analysis, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance and notice to that effect is hereby requested. If it is determined that the application is not in a condition for allowance, the examiner is invited to initiate a telephone interview with the undersigned attorney to expedite prosecution of the present application.

If there are any additional fees resulting from this communication, please charge same to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, our Order No. 35624.

Respectfully submitted,

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